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DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE DIRECTIVE NO. _____

COORDINATION AND EXPLOITATION OF EAST-WEST EXCHANGE PROGRAM

1. Pursuant to provisions of NSCID 1, 2 and 3, and for the purpose of ensuring coordination of intelligence interests related to East-West exchanges, the CIA, as a service of common concern, shall, in concert with DOD intelligence agencies and other interested agencies:

a. Advise the Soviet and Eastern European Exchanges Staff, Department of State, on all intelligence aspects related to exchanges, exclusive of internal security; assess the probable net advantage from an intelligence standpoint, considering both intelligence and technological gains or losses; and make recommendations on itineraries and other details necessary for effective intelligence exploitation in line with the Priority National Intelligence Objectives.

b. Advise SES, Department of State, of the official views of the responsible components in the Department of Defense and components in other departments and agencies, as appropriate, regarding industrial and personnel security considerations.

(Note: The above sub-paragraph was originally sub-paragraph 1 and has been revised substantially for purposes of clarification.)

c. Serve as the focal point for initiating, planning, and developing exchanges which might contribute to the solution of critical intelligence problems.

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d. Serve as the focal point and channel of communication for all action and administrative information bearing on intelligence aspects of exchanges.

e. Coordinate, from the intelligence standpoint, selection of US participants in East-West exchanges.

f. Recommend procedures and organize, as appropriate, such measures as may be required to assure the coordinated briefing and debriefing of US delegations.

g. Provide advice to the SES, Department of State, concerning the intelligence aspects of exchanges of materials with Communist Bloc countries for its use in connection with inter-agency coordination of such East-West exchange matters. In this regard, the official views of responsible components in the Department of Defense will be obtained when recommendations with respect to items having military significance are involved.

h. Prepare and submit, as appropriate, recommendations concerning participation of the intelligence community relating to exchanges.

i. Invite participation of other governmental departments and agencies as appropriate.

2. In carrying out these functions, the Central Intelligence Agency will, so far as practicable, utilize existing facilities and groups.

3. Coordination will normally be achieved through points of contact designated by interested agencies.

Note: The items underscored represent the changes in the text originally proposed

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Remarks: Ref: USIB-D-5.1/1, 7 Sept 62. 1. The proposed minor changes in the DCID's affecting the operations of this Office (i.e. 2/3, 2/4, and 2/8) have been reviewed and we have no objection to them. 2. Comments on the revised draft of DCID 2/6 on the East-West Exchange Program (attachment to reference) already provided to Mr. Nordbeck, are forwarded for your information.					
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Remarks: We have no objection to the new DCID #2/6. Ted Nordbeck has a new draft proposed by the Services which is substantively the same as this draft except for the preamble, where the Services have suggested that they be specifically identified. I would have no opposition to this but would not support it. The other changes are for the purpose of clarification, and I would be inclined to support these if they are advanced by the Service members of the USIB. A copy of the Services redraft is attached herewith.			
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